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REPLY TO MARCH 16, 2009 ADVISORY ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sirs:

Below, please find a twelve (12) page reply to the abovereferenced advisory action. This reply is timely filed so no extension fees are due.

I hereby request continuing examination of this application on the basis of the remarks submitted herewith, and believe that these remarks should place the application into condition for allowance.

Very truly yours,

Jay R. Yablon

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DETAILED REPLY MARCH 16, 2009 ADVISORY ACTION

Please find the following attached hereto:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

There are no claim amendments.

If this reply does not result in allowance of all claims, applicant's counsel hereby respectfully requests a telephone interview with examiner Thjuan Knowlin Addy, following receipt of this reply, and prior to issuance of any further advisory action.